IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

HOWELL ET AL. CASE NO.: CH 2756 US DIV2

APPLICATION NO.: UNKNOWN GROUP ART UNIT: UNKNOWN

FILED: HEREWITH EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FOR: PROCESSES OF PREPARING PARTIALLY ORIENTED POLY(TRIMETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE) YARNS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the present application, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.